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PATENT
409475-14 (SHUS805)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: SHUSTER et al.

Serial No.: 09/386,529

Filed: August 30, 1999

Title: SYSTEM, APPARATUS AND METHOD
FOR HOSTING AND ASSIGNING DOMAIN
NAMES ON A WIDE AREA NETWORK

Art Unit: 2153

Examiner: CHOUDHARY, ANITA

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated April 8, 2003, or until August 8, 2003.

Enclosed is a check for \$55.00 to pay the one-month extension fee in accordance with Rule 1.17(a)(1).

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge \$55.00, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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